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To: Attorney general
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Subject: Re: Microsoft Settlement.

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Attorney General John Ashcroft
US Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing because I support ending the antitrust case against Microsoft. Though I have not intensely followed the case, I know about the pending settlement. I would like to see the settlement finalized.

Microsoft is a great company that makes products that have become important to peoples' lives and businesses. Microsoft should be allowed to function properly according to the terms of the settlement. By disclosing its internal Windows computer codes to its competitors, who will also be free to add their own software to Windows and remove Microsoft's Microsoft has gone a long, long way to help its weaker competitors.

The longer the case is active the more the American economy suffers, which affects more than the company itself.

Please end the suit against Microsoft. It has been going on long enough.

Sincerely,
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